GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Public Services – PAO – Smt. Y. Bharatha Lakshmi, Senior Assistant, O/o. Projects and Works, Srikakulam District, now working in the O/o. the PAO (WA), Visakhapatnam–Disproportionate Assets case – Raid held by ACB held on 08.12.2015 – Departmental Proceedings under Rule 20 of A.P. Civil Services (CC&A) Rules, 1991–Appointment of Inquiry Officer and Presenting Officer - Orders – Issued.

FINANCE (Admn.II-DWA, PAO) DEPARTMENT

G.O. Rt. No. 1000 **Date: 16.05.2019**

Read the following:-

1. Rc.No. 168/RCA-VSK/2015, dated. 25.02.2016 from Director General, ACB, Vijayawada.
2. G.O.Ms.No. 72, Finance (Admn.II) Department, dated. 09.05.2016.
3. Rc.No. 168/RCA-VSK/2015, dated. 06.03.2018 from Director General, ACB, Vijayawada.
4. G.O.Ms.No. 124, Finance (Admn.II-DWA, PAO) Department, dated. 07.08.2018.
5. Memo No. 1113-A/306/WA/Admn.II/2015, dated. 14.08.2018.
6. Memo. No. JDWA/DWM/Sn.B/B.I/2018-19/276, dated. 29.12.2018.
7. Explanation of Smt. Y. Bharatha Lakshmi, Sr. Asst., dated. 01.02.2019.
8. Lr. No. JDWA/WA/DWM/Sn.B/B.I/2018-19/316, dated. 08.02.2019

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In the reference 5th read above, Government has issued the following Articles of Charge under Rule 20 of A.P. Civil Services (CC&A) Rules, 1991 against Smt. Y. Bharatha Lakshmi, Senior Assistant, O/o. the PAO (WA), Srikakulam District now working in the O/o. the PAO (WA), Visakhapatnam:

Charge No. 1

She failed to take prior permission from the competent authority to purchase or to dispose immovable properties held in the name of her husband and she had not given intimation to the competent authority about properties of movable assets in her name and in the name of her husband.

Charge no.2

She failed to submit her Annual Property Returns from the date of her joining the Government Service till the date of searches except for the years 2011, 2013 & 2014.

Charge No. 3

She did not report to the competent authority about her husband engaging in trade and business.

Thus Smt. Y. Bharatha Lakshmi, Sr. Assistant by her above mentioned acts exhibited lack of integrity, devotion to duty and conduct unbecoming of Government Servant and thereby contravened rules 9(1), 9

(2), 9(7) & 10(1-A) of the A.P. C.S. (Conduct) Rules, 1964. (**P.T.O**)

2. In the reference 6th read above, the Joint Director of Works Accounts, Dowlaiswaram has served the article of charges to Smt. Y. Bharatha Lakshmi, Senior Assistant.

3. In the reference 7th cited above, the charged employee Smt. Y. Bharatha Lakshmi, Senior Assistant has submitted her explanation for Articles of charge.

4. In the reference 8th read above, the Joint, the Joint Director of Works Accounts, Dowlaiswaram has forwarded the explanation of the individual for further action. Government disagree with the explanation of the charged employee and decided to conduct regular Inquiry in this regard.

5. Government after careful examination, in exercise of powers conferred by Sub Rule 20(2) Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (CC&A) Rules, 1991, hereby appoint Sri M. Ravindra Prasad Bob, Joint Director of Works Accounts, Ongole as Inquiry Officer to Inquire into charges framed against Smt. Y. Bharatha Lakshmi, Senior Assistant O/o. the PAO (WA), Srikakulam District now working in the O/o. the PAO (WA), Visakhapatnam and in exercise of powers conferred by Sub Rule 20(5)(c) Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (CC&A) Rules, 1991, hereby appoint Smt. D. Bhagyalatha, APAO (WA), Vizianagaram as Presenting Officer to present the case before the Inquiry Authority on behalf of disciplinary authority.

6. The Inquiry Authority is requested to complete the enquiry within three months and submit report to Government for taking further necessary action.

7. The Director of Works Accounts, Ibrahimpatnam is requested to take further necessary action in this matter.

8. This order is available in the internet and can be accessed at the address http://goir.ap.gov.in.

(**BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH**)

PEEYUSH KUMAR
SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT (Expr.)(FAC)

To
The Director of Works Accounts, A.P., Ibrahimpatnam, Vijayawada.
Sri M. Ravindra Prasad Bob, Joint Director of Works Accounts, Ongole.
Smt. D. Bhagyalatha, APAO (WA), Vizianagaram

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The Joint Director of Works Accounts, Dowlaiswaram, E.G. District.
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SECTION OFFICER